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We are pleased to announce the promotions of David V. Barbieri and Lois M. Connelly to the positions of Assistant Manager-Financial Planning, effective January 29, 1981. Both David and Lois will continue to report to Mr. J. M. Hartman, Manager-Financial Planning.

Mr. Barbieri holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration from the University of Michigan and an MBA from Wayne State University. He began his career at K mart Corporation in 1971. In his new position, Mr. Barbieri will be responsible for long-range financial planning and financial analysis.

Mrs. Connelly has a Bachelor's Degree in Accounting from Central Michigan University and will receive her MBA from the University of Detroit in April. She began her career at K mart in 1977. In her new position, Mrs. Connelly will be responsible for short-term budgeting and forecasting.

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